

## **PROTOCOL AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING HEPARIN-INDUCED THROMBOCYTOPENIA**

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### **Abstract of the Disclosure**

A hemostasis analyzer, such as the Thrombelastograph<sup>®</sup> (TEG<sup>®</sup>) hemostasis analyzer is utilized to measure continuously in real time, the hemostasis process from the initial fibrin formation, through platelet-fibrin interaction and lysis to generate blood hemostasis parameters. The measured blood hemostasis parameters permit determination of heparin-

10 induced thrombocytopenia II complex (HiT II).